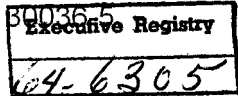


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TO : Chief, Map Library Division

VIA : Deputy Director/Intelligence
Assistant Director/Research and Reports

SUBJECT : Maps in the DCI Conference Room

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1. It occurs to me that we are missing a good opportunity to advertise our capability in maps by not displaying in the DCI's conference room maps on those areas of key intelligence importance. The same four maps have been on the panels ever since we started using the conference room and, while they are occasionally referred to, I am convinced that if they were periodically replaced by maps on areas of current interest they would be referred to more frequently.

2. I am suggesting that the Map Library, in collaboration with the designated official from the DD/I's office, assume the responsibility for seeing that new maps are placed on the panels when new areas enter the crisis category. For example, today the Malaysia-Indonesia area, the Congo, South Vietnam, and Cyprus are the principal problem areas. Detailed maps on each of these would be very useful as distinct from the fairly general ones that are now on the panels.

3. Please advise me whether you believe the above proposals are feasible.

(signed) Lyman B. Kirkpatrick

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